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Attorney Docket No. UM-06669

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Michael D. Uhler
Serial No.: 10/002,802
Filed: 11/02/01
Entitled: Surface Transfection and Expression Procedure
Group No: 1636
Examiner: Nguyen, Quang

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Dated: March 2, 2004

By: Mary Ellen Waite
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Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	25	—	42	0	×	18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	7	—	10	0	×	86.00	\$0.00

Three Month Extension of Time \$950.00

SUBTOTAL \$475.00

Small Entity 50% Filing Fee Reduction — \$475.00

TOTAL DUE \$475.00

1. A check in the amount of \$475.00 is attached.
2. Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1290. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
3. Petition for extension of time. The undersigned attorney of record hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, as may be required, to file this response.

Dated: March 2, 2004

By: Tanya A. Arenson
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED
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Dated: 3-2-04

By: Mary Ellen Waite

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Sir:

The following communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2003. A Petition for Extension of Time in which to respond for a period of three months is included with this Response; therefore, this Response is timely filed, and no further fees are believed to be due with this Response. However, if necessary, please charge any additional fees due, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 08-1290.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Application view of the following remarks.